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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re:

Application of Bernd STAHL, Uwe SPITZER, Rudof SALOMON, Albert

HENGER, Andreas BREIHOLZ

SCCP LOCAL USER ESCAPE METHOD

Assignee: ALCATEL Our Ref. Q76860



Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 44 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 8 sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified), and Preliminary Amendment.

PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHED PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT BEFORE CALCULATING THE FEE

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims Independent claims Base Fee	<u>11</u> - 20 <u>5</u> - 3	=	2 x	\$18.00 \$84.00	= _	\$.00 \$168.00 \$750.00
TOTAL FILING FEE Recordation of Assignment					\$918.00 \$40.00	

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$918.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

TOTAL FEE

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The priority document is enclosed herewith.

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